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In re Application of:

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For: ULTRASONIC WELDED TELSPLICE)
STICK)
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In The Title:

Please amend the title to read "Ultrasonic Welded Connector Stick".

In The Claims:

Please amend claims 1 and 15 as follows:

1. (Amended) A connector comprising:

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a housing defining an interior channel and having two opposing sides; and

a crimping device movably positioned inside said housing and adapted to secure at least one electrical cable in said channel;